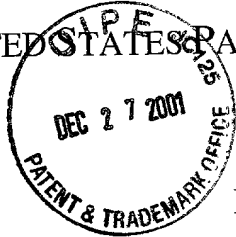


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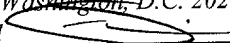
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Enclosed for filing please find the patent application for an invention entitled, **"METHOD AND DEVICE FOR PLAYING AN IMPROVED GAME OF BLACKJACK"**, filed on behalf of Robert Saucier, **Small Entity**.

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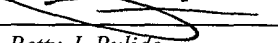
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This is a request for filing under the Continuing Application Procedure, 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b); **continuation application**. Applicant requests that this application utilize the contents of the file jacket for the prior application Serial No. 09/703,373, filed October 31, 2000, which claims the benefit of Serial No. 60/162,992, filed November 1, 1999, and requests the prior application to constitute the new application and be assigned the application number of the prior application for identification purposes. Applicant further requests the previous application be expressly abandoned as of the filing date of this application.

This application is filed on behalf of Inventor Robert Saucier. Enclosed for filing are 7 pages specification, 3 pages claims, 2 sheets drawings and 1 page abstract; declaration, power of attorney and assignment, as submitted in the parent application, together with the Utility Patent Application Transmittal.

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